Allotment of Foodgrains

*Q.—286. Sri M. M. J. SADYOJATHA (Kudligi).—

Will the Minister for Food and Civil Supplies be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of bags of foodgrains allotted to the Malleswaram Processings Co-operative Society, Hadagalli and Hagari-Bommanahalli for distribution during 1964–65 and 1965–66 ;

(*b*) the number of bags that were sold during this period ;

(*c*) whether the entire sale proceeds were realised by the Government ;

(*d*) if not the amount due to Government by the said Society ?

A.—Sri B. D. JATTI (Minister for Food and Civil Supplies).—

(*a*) Nil.

(*b*) Does not arise.

(*c*) Does not arise.

(*d*) Does not arise.

1-30 P.M.

ಶ್ರೀ. ಎಂ. ಎಂ. ಸದ್ಯೋಜಾತ.—ಹಡಗಲಿ ಮತ್ತು ಹಗರಿ ಬೊಮ್ಮನಹಳ್ಳಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಸೊಸೈಟಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಈಗ ಎರಡು ವರ್ಷಗಳಿಂದ ಅಮೆರಿಕನ್ ಗೋಧಿ ಮೀಜ್ ಮತ್ತು ಜವಾರ್ ಮಾರಾಟವಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆಯೋ ಇಲ್ಲವೋ ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—This question requires a little clarification. The Hon'ble member wants to know what is happening in three places, Hadagalli, Hagari-Bommanahalli and Bellary Branch. The Malleswaram Processing Co-operative Society Hadagalli has two branches, (1) Bellary and (2) Hagari-Bommanahalli. The other society is at Hadagalli. The question pertains to Hadagalli and Hagari-Bommanahalli. In these two places there were no sales in 1964-65 and 1965-66. There were sales in Bellary Branch in 1965-66.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಎಂ. ಸದ್ಯೋಜಾತ.—ಹಡಗಲಿ ಮತ್ತು ಹಗರಿಬೊಮ್ಮನಹಳ್ಳಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ 1964-65 ಮತ್ತು 65–66ರಲ್ಲಿ ಆಹಾರ ಧಾನ್ಯವನ್ನು ಮಾರಾಟ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದು ನಿಜ ಅಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಡಿ. ಜತ್ತಿ.—ಅಲ್ಲಿ 1964-65 ಮತ್ತು 65-66ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಏನೂ ಮಾರಾಟ ಮಾಡಿಲ್ಲ, ಏನೂ ಕೊಂಡುಕೊಂಡಿಲ್ಲ ಲಾಭವೂ ಇಲ್ಲ ನಷ್ಟವೂ ಇಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ದುಗ್ಗಪ್ಪ.—ಸ್ಪಾಪಿ, ಈ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಯಲ್ಲಿ 1964–65 ಮತ್ತು 1965–66 ನೇ ಸಾಲು ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಹಂಚುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಹಡಗಲಿ ಮತ್ತು ಹಗರಿಬೊಮ್ಮನಹಳ್ಳಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವ ಮಲ್ಲೇಶ್ವರಂ ಪ್ರೊಸೆಸಿಂಗ್ ಸಹಕಾರಿ ಸಂಘಕ್ಕೆ ಹಂಚಿಕೊಟ್ಟ ಆಹಾರಧಾನ್ಯದ ಚೀಲಗಳ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ಎಷ್ಟು ಎಂದು ಕೇಳಿದ್ದಕ್ಕೆ, ಒಂದೂ ಇಲ್ಲ, ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ತಾವಾಗಲೀ ಅಥವಾ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳಾಗಲೀ ನಮ್ಮ ನೆರೆ ಪ್ರಾಂತಕ್ಕೆ ಕೋರ್ಸ್‌ಗ್ರೇನನ್ನು ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದು ಉಂಟೆ, ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೀರಾ ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—How does it arise ? I have disallowed it.

Sri G. DUGGAPPA.—Have the Government not allotted foodgrains to this Society ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—The question that was put by the member pertains to Hagari-Bommanahalli and Hadagali Societies, whether foodgrains were supplied and distributed and if distributed whether the Government got all the money, for which the reply is 'Nil'. For Bellary Branch 9,223·39 kg. wheat and 2,552·39½ kg. milo was supplied, they have got accounts and the Government has received the money. If the Hon'ble member has got further questions, I can give more information. Unfortunately, he does not know.

Sri G. DUGGAPPA.—What is the allotment requested by the Deputy Commissioner, Bellary District, for the various Taluks in Bellary District including these societies ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—According to the needs of the people in different Taluks in the District, the Deputy Commissioner allots the foodgrains and he has allotted.

Sri G. DUGGAPPA.—Has he supplied the allotted quantity ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—Definitely.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Sri Azeez Sait is authorised to put Question No. 95.

Compulsory Procurement of Paddy

*Q.—95. Sri AZEEZ SAIT (Narasimharaja) [On behalf of SRI S. BANGARAPPA (Sorab)].—

Will the Minister for Food and Civil Supplies be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether they are aware of the trouble and loss caused to the ryots who are growing paddy on account of the compulsory procurement of paddy as per Levy Rules ;

(*b*) whether they intend dropping the question of procuring paddy compulsorily as per the Levy Rules from the ryots in Sorab Taluk of Shimoga District as the people in that area are put to much hardship due to failure of crops to certain extent during the last 3 to 4 years ;

(*c*) whether they have taken steps to raise the procurement rate of paddy as the difference between the market price and the amount paid per quintal to the ryots for procuring paddy is about Rs. 34 ?

*A.—Sri B. D. JATTI (Minister for Food and Civil Supplies).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) In view of the existing provisions in the Levy Orders this question does not arise.

(*c*) The rates fixed now are reasonable.

Sri AZEEZ SAIT.—To question (*a*) the Government has answered 'No'. Is the Government aware that a representation was forwarded to the Food Minister through the Speaker during the last session about the difficulties that are being experienced by the ryots on account of compulsory procurement ?